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The Honorable Leonard B. Sand United States District Judge United States District Court Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007 Re: USDC/SDNY 07 CV 8605 (LBS)

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Honorable Sir:

We write as counsel for defendants, with concurrence of plaintiff's counsel, to request an adjournment of present scheduled for submission of a Pretrial Order and conference before the Court.

Presently the matter is due to have the Pretrial Order submitted on Monday, July 21, 2008 with a conference on Tuesday, August 5, 2008 at 9:30 a.m.

Due to scheduling and vacation plans the undersigned respectfully requests that the submission of the

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MAHONEY and KEANE

Pretrial Order be adjourned to August 11, 2008 with a Pretrial conference to follow on August 18, 2008. We note the additional time may also assist in seeing the matter resolved amicably between the parties.

We thank the Court for its consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

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